

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Cloudy tonight and Wednesday, fresh W wind. Northern California. Fair tonight, cloudy Wednesday, with rain Wednesday in NW portion, light W wind.

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OAKLAND INVITES CAPITAL TO COME TO THE CITY.

New Council Promises No More Vicious Attacks on Industries Every Aid and Protection. Trying to Undo the Damage of Last City Council.

The attitude of the present City Council toward making Oakland a manufacturing center, increasing railroad facilities and fostering industries and the investment of outside capital, is outlined in the following resolution offered at last night's meeting of the council by Councilman Charles Bon, and adopted, under suspension of the rules.

"Whereas, an impression has gone abroad due to certain events and tendencies in the recent past that the people of Oakland are disposed to deal harshly with capital and indisposed to welcome the advent of enterprise and investments, that they do not encourage the establishment of new industries, and are unjust to those already established; that they are opposed to granting the proper aid; facilities and protection to those who would invest in business enterprises in this city, and,

"Whereas this impression is erroneous, unfounded and injurious to the welfare and progressive growth of this city and,

"Whereas, the citizens of Oakland have recently given unmistakable evidence that they are friendly to capital and enterprise, and desire to extend a cordial invitation to all who are disposed to invest here and assist in building up the city and,

"Whereas, Oakland is the natural site for a great manufacturing center and possesses superior advantages for profitable and economical manufacturing, and that its future greatness depends largely upon the development of the manufacturing industry which is in turn dependent upon ample and economical transportation facilities, therefore be it

"Resolved: That this Council in the name of the people do invite capital and enterprise to locate here, and do give our earnest assurance that invested interests shall be treated with fairness and liberality and protected in all their rights, as would be the case in any enlightened law abiding community such as we have here and be it further

"Resolved: That this Council do pledge themselves to afford all the aid, facilities and encouragement within the scope of their authority to any and all competitive railroads that desire to enter Oakland, and will do all that is legitimately within our power to assist such competitive roads to obtain the necessary rights of way and terminal facilities and be it further

"Resolved that this Council will do what we can within the scope of our authority to assist manufacturers who desire to establish industries in Oakland in obtaining suitable locations and the proper facilities for carrying on their business, and that we do assure them that they will be fully protected in the enjoyment of their property rights and the rightful proceeds thereof, and be it further

"Resolved: That this Council do pledge in the name of the citizens at large a hospitable welcome to all others who desire to settle, invest or enter business pursuits in the city of Oakland, and do assure them that they will have the friendly co-operation and warm support of our people, who are anxious to promote the prosperity and progress of our beautiful city."

COUNT TOLSTOI IS EXPELLED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, April 23.—A special dispatch from Vienna says the Czar has signed a decree expelling Count Leo Tolstoy from Russia and that the decree has been served.

Death of Old Clown. NEW YORK, April 23.—John Costello, an old time circus clown was taken suddenly ill and died in Taylor's Hotel early today. According to one of his friends the clown's name was Dan Costello, and he was for many years one of the clowns in Barnum's show, and in the shows that combined with Barnum's later on.

Captain Was Drowned. Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. NEW YORK, April 23.—The Fall River steamer Pilgrim and the fishing schooner Samuel Ricker, of New Haven, collided off Cornfield at 10:20 o'clock this morning. The Ricker sank immediately and her captain, Allen was drowned.

TRAMP SHOTS TWO POLICEMEN

Officers On Their Way To Prison When They Were Shot.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. JOPLIN, Mo., April 23.—Policemen Charles C. Swenson and John J. Kelly were shot and killed and Officer R. E. Brannan was fatally wounded early this morning while attempting to arrest a gang of five tramps found in a box car. The officers were taking the men to the station when one of the tramps shot each policeman from behind. Four of the men escaped. The fifth, James Doyle, of St. Louis, gave himself up at the police station. Doyle says he fell in with the men while on his way to Port Smith, Ark.

FOUR SMASHERS TO GO TO JAIL.

Refuse to Accept Any Bail From Their Friends.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WICHITA, Kan., April 23.—Miss Carrie Nation, Mrs. Lucy White, Mrs. Julia Evans and Lydia Muntz, the four women who smashed two saloons here some months ago, have decided to reject all bail and go to jail. When cases come before the court tomorrow for the purpose of returning their bonds. They claim they could easily get bail, but they deem it their duty to resent the imposition that they have committed any crime, hence their decision to go to jail.

CAR MEN STEAL LARGE SUM.

Beat a Washington Street Railroad Out of \$50,000.

A Seattle Press Dispatch by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, April 23.—A statement is published on the lines of the Washington, Baiton and Electric Company to an extent of probably \$50,000 have been discovered and eight of the employees six of whom are conductors, and two firemen are under arrest on a charge of conspiracy. The operations, it is claimed, have been going on for several months. The punched tickets turned in by the conductors at first checked up at the offices and then burned by employees. The investigation that has been in progress is said to disclose that many of the tickets instead of being destroyed, were saved and sold to conductors who bought them substituted them for good tickets.

JOKE OF EMPEROR.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. BERLIN, April 23.—Emperor William regards the news of the plot against his life as "Tartuffe's Nihilism" (Tartuffe new), but he approves the comprehensive steps now taken to forestall the alleged plot. The Emperor says he is aware of the plot and immediately warned the Emperor, who joked about the matter, thus removing her discontent.

THEY WANT PEACE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, April 23.—It is understood here that the Chinese plenipotentiaries at Peking, Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang, are prepared to give a guarantee to the Powers for the protection of all foreigners in China if the foreign troops now stationed there are withdrawn.

CAPE NOME HORROR

Dr. Pelton of Oakland Frozen to Death.

Mother Is Shocked By News From the North.

[Dr. H. S. Pelton mentioned in the following dispatch, is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Judson S. Pelton of 622 Twenty-fifth street. His mother is Mrs. M. B. Pelton, president of the local union of the W. C. T. U. who also acts as press correspondent for the same organization. The deceased is a native of Iowa having been born in the vicinity of Mt. Pleasant thirty-five years ago. He studied horsemanship in the East and was there admitted to practice medicine. On arriving in this State he first located and practiced in Batesfield until the big fire there. He then came to Oakland and practiced his profession here until about three years ago when he went to Alaska, accompanied by his younger brother, Paul Freeman Pelton. Both went in search of gold Paul intending to remain in Nome, while the doctor was to engage in prospecting and working claims. The last heard from the latter was about the middle of December, 1900, when he wrote that he intended making an arduous trip into the interior. This was the trip on which he met his untoward fate. The deceased was the brother of Mrs. A. B. Webster of Fifth and Franklin streets, Mrs. Rex D. Rowell whose husband is pastor of the Congregational church of Los Angeles, Mrs. D. Cameron, wife of a dentist in Redlands, and Mrs. Hattie Black of San Francisco. The doctor was a promising young practitioner, but he was afflicted with the gold fever and cast his lot with the ruggedness of Alaska. His brother who accompanied him is supposed to be still in Nome. Mrs. M. B. Pelton, mother of the deceased young man was not at home this afternoon when a TRIBUNE reporter called to break the sad news of her bereavement as easily as possible. She had gone to attend a Temperance and mission meeting at the First Baptist Church. After that meeting, she was to go to San Francisco. The father of the deceased had gone to San Francisco earlier in the day. Before Mrs. Pelton left the morning late this afternoon she was told the sad news. She is completely prostrated.]

Story of Blizzard.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SEATTLE, Wash., April 23.—Partial confirmation of the rumors of the death by fire of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York have been received by special correspondence of the Times today. The Nome Gold Digger of January 30th gives full accounts of the terrible blizzard and its awful work of death. It says:

Oakland Man Dead.

"DR. PELTON, ONE OF OUR BEST AND MOST ESTEEMED YOUNG PIONEERS OF ALASKA, WAS FROZEN ON THE TRAIL ON THE NIGHT OF THE TERRIBLE BLIZZARD OF THE 1ST INST. NEAR SOLOMON IN OAKLAND, CAL., FROM WHICH PLACE HE CAME TO ALASKA HE WAS 32 YEARS OLD. "A message received from Spruce Creek, dated January 29d, says Dr. Pelton's body was found on the trail between Spruce Creek and Solomon. The body was brought to Nome. "Dan Anderson left Dexter for Nome about four weeks ago and has not been heard of since. It is feared that he perished in the New Year's blizzard."

A Great Blizzard.

"News of another great tragedy of the blizzard was brought into town by United States Marshal McLean. It is the untimely end of Dr. W. F. Baum, who perished while carrying medical assistance to a sick miner. "Dr. Baum left Nome on January 21st last. He was a native of Mobile, Ala., and saw service in the Cuban war. "This afternoon United States Marshal brought into town the unidentified remains of a man from Solomon. (Continued on Page 2)

FIERCE BATTLE BETWEEN RAILROAD MEN AND ROBBERS.

Hand to Hand Contest in the Express Car. Porter Shot By One of the Six Masked Men. Bloodhounds Started on the Trail of Bandits.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 23.—The Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf passenger train, which was held up at midnight near Iron Mountain crossing, four and a half miles west of Memphis, arrived here at 6:10 this morning, half an hour late. Sidney Drew, the negro porter, who was shot by the bandits was taken to St. Vincent Hospital. His condition is serious. C. T. Meader, the express messenger, was badly beaten over the head and shoulders with a pistol. The passengers were not molested. Frank W. Haskell, local agent of the Wells Fargo Express Company, could not estimate the amount the robbers secured, but it is said to be over \$300.

Six Masked Men.

The train left Memphis at 11:40 last night, and after crossing the bridge made the usual stop at Bridge Junction, Ark. At this point six masked men boarded the train but were not seen by any of the train crew. When a point half a mile west of Iron Mountain Crossing had been reached, Messenger Meader started to cross over from the first car to the other where the express safes were, as he had finished arranging the baggage. As he opened the door he found himself staring into the barrels of two revolvers and two shotguns and saw four men standing on the platform. He was immediately grabbed by one of the robbers and his pistol, which he carried in a belt around his waist, was taken from him.

Bandits Open Fire.

About this time the train began to stop and came to a full stop. The shooting began. The two men who had boarded the rear of the second car captured Sidney Drew, the train porter, and made him unconvincing that point. The engineer and fireman had been taken care of by this time. Under orders from two of the men who

had mounted the cab, Engineer Johnson started the locomotive and ran with the two baggage and express cars for about half a mile. The place where the cars stopped is in the midst of a dense canebrake, ten or fifteen miles from any habitation. The train is raised fifteen feet from the surrounding country.

"Open the Safe."

"Open the safe or we will kill you," was the order given to the messenger by one of the robbers, who seemed to be the leader. He was very calm while the other three were very much excited and worked like amateurs. The messenger obeyed and one of the men, who carried a sack, placed all the contents of the local safe in it.

"Now you and the kid get into the car," was the next order. Meader did not seem to move fast enough to suit the young fellow who had him in charge, so he delivered a few blows with the heavy revolver he carried. After the messenger was in the car the robber continued to beat him just for pure meanness, the messenger says, until he was very badly bruised.

"He received a very bad cut over the right eye. One robber stayed to guard the two prisoners, the other joining the two in the express car, where they were at work on the through safe, which was locked and could not be opened till Little Rock was reached. They had about a pint of nitro glycerine and poured it in the crack of the safe. When everything was ready all left the car and the explosion followed. It was a complete success, for the door of the safe was blown off and hurled twenty feet away, striking a tree trunk and smashing it.

Bloodhounds On Trail.

The engineer ran back to the rest of the train and as soon as the coupling was made started as fast as possible for Memphis, twelve miles away. The nearest telegraph station, where the affair was reported to Superintendent John H. Harris. The superintendent immediately went to the convict camp at Hurlbert, five miles this side of the scene of the hold-up, asking if it was known where the bandits were placed on the trail of the bandits. Towards midnight a word was offered.

Story of the Robbery.

George Ward, aged 17, who lives in Cincinnati, got the best look at the robbers, and is the only person who saw them get on the train. He was riding on the blind baggage, trying to get to Hot Springs. He says: "When the train stopped at the railroad crossing I saw the men run out and jump on. Four got on the rear end of the first car and two on the rear of the second car. I paid no attention to them until the shooting began, and as soon as the train stopped I got off and started to run away, but they saw me and made me come back." The Choctaw officials will cooperate with the express company and will spare no expense to capture the bandits.

NOT A FRIEND OF THE KING.

Mrs. Hartman Pays Money and Gets Mansion.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, April 23.—Mrs. Hartman, to whom King Edward has granted the use of the White Lodge (Richmond Park) is not an American and has no connection with America. The phrase "grant of the use of" is liable to misconception. As a matter of fact Mrs. Hartman has taken a long lease on the White Lodge, which has been a sort of royal family since the death of the Duke and Duchess of Teck. The place required a great deal of renovating and is expensive to keep up. This neither the Duke or Duchess of Cornwall and York nor the other members of the royal family were prepared to do. Mrs. Hartman is exceedingly rich, has a handsome house in Berkeley Square, is a sister of the Countess de Jacobart of Paris, and is not a friend of the king.

RAILROAD STRIKERS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. PITTSBURG, Pa., April 23.—The strike of the employees of the McKeesport connecting railroad, ordered for this morning, did not take place and the system is being operated as usual. The strikers claim, however, that the road will be tied up before another day and that the men will refuse to work. Superintendent Beattie says the road will be operated in spite of the strike and the men insist that this will be impossible.

A SWELL WEDDING.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, April 23.—Malcolm Moncreiffe, brother of Sir Robert Moncreiffe, Bart., and of the Duchess of Atholl and the Countess of Dudley and Miss Amy Moorhead Walker, of Chicago, daughter of the late S. J. Walker, of Frankfort, Ky., were married at St. Paul's Church, Knights' Bridge today. A reception was afterward held at Carfax Hotel in Albemarle street. Both functions were largely attended.

Lowest in Forty Years.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. ALBANY, N. Y., April 23.—The State tax rate for the next fiscal year has been fixed at 1.21 mills, the lowest in forty years.

PREPARING FOR A BIG RAID.

Boxers Plan to Have Another Bloody Contest.

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ELECTION IN SOUTH.

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Strange Showing Made by Advance Census Sheets.

The school census, now being taken reveals the deplorable fact that thousands of children of school age do not attend any institution of learning.

Census Marshal Webb N. Peacock's tally sheets, up to date, show a total of 9,833 children, of whom 7,422 are of school age, and of this number there are 6,550 who attend public schools, 501 private schools, and 3,191 attend no school at all.

The number of children under school age, to date, is 2,291.

The census shows also that there has been a falling off in some of the wards and an increase in others. The work of taking the census is progressing as rapidly as possible.

FUNERAL OF JOS. HUME AT BERKELEY.

BERKELEY, April 22.—With impressive Masonic services all that week mortal remains of Joseph Hume, the well known "C" leader, who died Saturday afternoon, were borne to a private vault in Mountain View Cemetery this afternoon.

At 1 o'clock private ceremonies, at which were present members of the family and immediate friends only, were conducted by Rev. George L. Swan of St. Mark's Episcopal Church.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock, and the funeral was conducted in accordance with the Masonic ritual.

A large number of the deceased's friends were present, many of whom were San Francisco business men.

Representatives were present from Oakland Commandery, No. 11, Knights Templar and the Order of Mystic Shrine.

The casket was covered with a beautiful pall. About the coffin, in profusion, were exquisite floral pieces. Among these were a pillow, chairs and gates.

The pall bearers were: John A. Hilton and W. H. Craig of Oakland Commandery, Knights Templar; A. W. Naylor, Daniel P. Case, C. R. Lord and Joseph A. McCall of Decatur Lodge.

The services at the grave were private.

NEWS NOTES FROM THE SUPERIOR COURT.

The Union Savings Bank has obtained a decree of foreclosure against Porter Ranch and others for \$1,400.

Charles P. Bradford has been granted letters of administration on the estate of George C. Bradford, deceased.

J. G. Mattos Jr. has applied for letters of administration on the \$300 estate of Manuel Pereira do Azevedo, who died June 7, 1891. The heirs are the widow, Maria L. Azevedo, and three children.

W. G. Palmatier, William Morris and John W. Havens have been appointed to appraise the estate of Bertha Answorth Baker, deceased.

The H. R. Holmes Lumber Company of San Francisco has filed in this county a certified copy of its articles of incorporation. It has a capital stock of \$50,000, fully subscribed, by Henry T. Holmes, William Russell, Edward K. Holmes, Charles A. Schlager and John Cochran.

J. Polcia has been granted letters of administration on the estate of Mary J. Rossi, deceased.

The Oakland Paving Company has foreclosed a street lien against Thomas J. Geary, as administrator of the estate of Mollie F. Geary, and others for \$500 and costs.

E. O. Webb, H. W. Meek and Ross Bromley have been appointed to appraise the estates of Harvey E. and Anton M. Henriksen, minors.

HAYNE DEEP IN LARGE FIGURES.

Lawyer Seems to Be Talking Against Time.

If Lawyer Hayne's theory of the defense is sustained the logical effect will be the establishment of a metered water system for Oakland, and a reduction in the consumption of not less than fifty per cent. He sets up, that the Alvarado plant, with its daily supply of 5,000,000 gallons, is superfluous and unnecessary, and that 80 gallons per capita daily is amply sufficient for all requirements. In New York City, where there is no irrigation and few lawns, the daily per capita consumption is 114 gallons, from which 30 per cent. is deducted for leakage, wastage, etc., leaving the net consumption 80 gallons. Hayne contends that 75 gallons is enough for Oaklanders, and only allows a little over 5 per cent loss from leakage and wastage. At present the actual consumption within the city limits of Oakland is 162 gallons per capita, after deducting 12 1/2 per cent for the consumption outside the city. Engineer Adams says, however, that the consumption outside is only 5 per cent of the whole, which of course increases the per capita consumption inside.

Hayne says a metered supply of 3,400,000 is sufficient to supply a city of 68,000 inhabitants, which was the population reported for Oakland in the Federal census of 1900. But it is evident to the most superficial observer that the population of Oakland is growing rapidly. If a daily supply of 5,400,000 gallons were all paid for at regular meter rates it would return a revenue of \$183,000 a year instead of the \$325,000 that the company would receive under the ordinance, for the 12,000,000 gallons a day now supplied under the flat rate system.

It is easy to see that if Hayne's theory is carried out the consumers of Oakland will have to pay, even under the present ordinance, \$183,000 a year for 5,400,000 gallons of water daily. This is \$160,000 in excess of the sum that would have to be paid under the ordinance, which provides primarily for a flat rate, for a supply of 12,000,000 gallons daily.

An analysis shows that the necessary result of the application of this theory will be to make the people of Oakland pay more than they are now paying for water and get less for it. Its application would compel the company to meter its entire system and sell water exclusively at the meter rate. This would enormously increase the expense of maintaining lawns and gardens and it would have a bad effect on the charming rural surroundings of our suburban residence districts.

During the last water year the gross revenue of the Water Company, under the old rates was \$114,000. This was derived from supplying 12,000,000 gallons of water daily, one-eighth of the sum being paid by the residents of the district outside the city, leaving \$92,250 as the amount collected from consumers inside the city. These figures are not subjects of dispute, having been agreed upon by both sides in the water trial. Applying Hayne's theory of metered system, the consumers of Oakland would be compelled to pay \$183,000 for less than half the amount of water they are now receiving, and for which the company only collected during the previous year \$92,250, a difference of \$129,000 a year, against the consumers. If more water was used, the expense to the consumers would be proportionately increased. It all depends, however, on the establishment of a metered system, which Hayne argues is the only correct method of selling water. The city's experts testified that it would cost \$200,000 to meter the city of Oakland. The consumers would be called upon to pay interest on this additional investment.

But there is another aspect of the case that calls for serious consideration. Hayne secures a judicial declaration that the Alvarado supply is superfluous and unnecessary to supplying Oakland with water, the water company would be at liberty to divert it elsewhere. It is valuable to divert it elsewhere. It is valuable to divert it elsewhere. It is valuable to divert it elsewhere.

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timates of the engineers for the water company as unworthy of credence, especially inasmuch as the gentleman who made them with his pen and ink, and adopted the estimate of the experts for the city as absolute demonstration. In all practical cases the theory of preference for practical experience is the only one that there was any variety, honesty or competency in the witnesses for the company.

He also attacked the report that Professor Le Conte made for the Council in 1896 and which was for years accepted as a fair estimate of the value of the Contra Costa plant. He impeached the correctness of Professor Le Conte's estimates on the authority of Professor Marks, who never built anything more substantial than a theory, and M. K. Miller, the latter Chief of the Big Foot, who performed the remarkable feat of making two reservoirs out of one and locating the segregated parts some distance apart. He contended that the Boardman, who planned and superintended the construction of the San Leandro reservoir, knew very little about how the work was done or the cost of it. His chief authority for the cost of the San Leandro dam was Ham Hall, who spent an hour or so at San Leandro one day and collected \$750 from the city for this valuable service. Ham Hall was apparently disposed to disparage the cost of the San Leandro dam because all the water works he had planned and constructed were failures.

Hayne was still talking when the noon recess was taken.

Hayne devoted a large portion of the afternoon session to a tedious discussion of the water company's annual statements of the Water Company. His oratory is of the hand organ variety—monotonous, discordant and interminable. As a soporific it is a brilliant success and its hypnotic influence was plainly visible in the drowsy looks and sleepy attitudes of those compelled to listen. All others shrined the court room for this dreary stream of uninteresting discussion of technicalities and far-fetched theories has put to flight the most hardened loungers. As it lengthens out the talk becomes duller and flatter. It is shown of whatever interest it might otherwise have by being a virtual "chickadee" of his numerous and protracted speeches during the trial. The strength of Lawyer Hayne's eloquence lies in its complacency, but the great gets mighty thin by being so fearfully diluted.

NOT RELIGIOUS ENOUGH TO BE A PRIEST.

Cornelius Crowley Jr., son of Cornelius Crowley, who for years has held a position as principal of the city, was convicted by the Whittier Reform School this morning by Judge Greene, on petition of his father.

It appeared from the testimony submitted that young Crowley had given his father a great deal of trouble through his will tendencies. His father tried to make a Franciscan monk at Santa Barbara to study for the priesthood. The father, however, returned the boy, stating that while he was not so very bad, he had not the ability to become a priest. Crowley then sent his son to Father McNally's school at West Oakland, but he was not long there. Crowley purchased his son a new set of clothes and shoes. The next day young Crowley sold his shoes and suit to a second hand dealer for 99 cents, receiving besides an old suit and a pair of rough shoes. With the money young Crowley purchased some alcohol and proceeded to celebrate with some companions. He was arrested by Detective Kite.

Despising of being able to do anything with his son, Crowley decided to have him sent to a reform school, and accordingly made the application this morning.

FIGHTER MAY DIE FROM BLOW.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, April 22.—The condition of Billy Smith, the American pugilist, who was knocked out in the eighth round of a contest at the National Sporting Club last night with Jack Roberts for the 126 pound championship of England and who was removed unconscious to a hospital, was still uncertain this afternoon. The physician takes the most serious view of his condition.

STOP SHEDDING OF HUMAN BLOOD.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, April 22.—It is said at the State Department that no doubt will be given to the Peking dispatches representing the United States as taking in the demands for more haste and more punishment in China do not clearly portray the position of this Government. As a matter of fact Mr. Rockhill, our Special Commissioner at Peking, is aiming to do all within his power to restrain the unnecessary shedding of blood.

FUNERAL OF LATE MARTHA SIMPSON.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Martha A. Simpson, wife of Robert P. Simpson, took place at 3 o'clock this afternoon from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. M. T. Burnham, 819 Twenty-first street.

Rev. Dr. J. K. McLean of the Pacific Theological Seminary, conducted the services and appropriate music was sung by Mrs. Dowing and Miss Mabel Gray.

Among the many floral tributes was a large wreath filled with small white flowers, bearing the words: "Our Name," sent by decedent's two little grandchildren, Florence and Helen Burnham.

The pallbearers were W. W. Burnham, B. K. Allen, W. F. Wastell and A. King. The interment was in Mount View Cemetery.

MANY FAMILIES ARE HOMELESS.

Great Floods in the East Do Much Damage.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. CINCINNATI, Ohio, April 22.—Although the Ohio river is still rising and the backwaters of the Little Miami and Mill Creek surround the city, there is no longer any alarm here on account of the flood. This is due to the fact that the Weather Bureau predicts that the maximum depth will be reached here in less than twenty-four hours and will not exceed fifty-eight feet or come within fourteen feet of the top of the levee. The flood is receding as far down as Parkersburg today and its crest will be here tomorrow. While several lives have been lost up the river in gathering drift and in ventures in boats and in accidents, none have been lost by being caught by the flood. All who have been driven from their homes here and elsewhere have been well cared for in the respective localities and will soon return to their homes.

The Central Union passenger station was abandoned today, not because it is impossible to run trains through the water, but because the injury to cars and engines is too great. Freight depots reached over the tracks now submerged, are abandoned and trains are obliged to load and unload at points farther out.

The baseball park used by the National League is flooded and the Cincinnati games scheduled for this week will be postponed. The stage of the river at Cincinnati at noon is 54.3 feet.

At Gallipoli, Ky., on the Big Sandy, a heavy rain fell last night, leaving the city without fuel and in darkness and closing factories at Ashland and elsewhere along its line.

At Middle Park, Ky., Jacob Tuxley has been killed while rafting logs. At Portsmouth, Ohio, the weather is clear. River, 55 feet 5 inches and not likely to rise much more. All homeless families have been cared for.

At Ironton, Ohio, this morning the tide was 66 feet 9 inches and rising an inch per hour.

West Ironton and all the territory in the lowlands along the creeks are inundated, rendering hundreds of families homeless. The bridge has cut off the natural gas supply to all cities and towns along the Ohio between Ironton and Huntington. Industries are suspended and railroad and street railway traffic has stopped. Destitute sufferers are quartered in public buildings.

FAMILIES HOMELESS. GALLIPOLI, Ohio, April 22.—The great deluge of water that has been sweeping down the Ohio Valley has done great damage to Pomeroy Bend Pomeroy, Middleport and Point Pleasant where the first point to be inundated. Point Pleasant is a small town of 100 people. Many families are homeless, but are being cared for in school houses and by neighbors. The depots at Middleport and Pomeroy are both under water.

Five thousand barrels of salt were almost given away at the salt mounds at Pomeroy when the water came. The salt was washed away, otherwise would have been used in the salt mounds. Middleport operations into Point Pleasant, Middleport and Pomeroy. Gallipoli is receiving only one train a day, and it is feared that the communications will be cut off today. The mark at 11 o'clock this morning shows 55 feet 5 inches and rising one inch every three hours.

HOUSES INUNDED. PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 22.—The officials of the Allegheny Bureau of Health commenced a thorough inspection of the flooded districts. Every house that was inundated will be inspected and the occupants notified to thoroughly cleanse and disinfect it to prevent disease or plague. If the order is not obeyed within five days the occupants will be prosecuted. A similar inspection will be made in this city by the Pittsburgh officials.

Work was resumed today at many mills along the river from after a shut-down of three days, and within forty-eight hours all the plants will be again in operation.

The rivers continue to recede here and at the head waters.

RIVER IS RISING. HUNTINGTON, W. Va., April 22.—The Ohio river is 53 feet and rising an inch an hour. News of great suffering from the flood comes from the interior country. The rain ceased at midnight for the first time in almost six days.

AT A STANDSTILL. FRANKFORT, Ky., April 22.—The Kentucky river is about at a standstill today and no danger is now apprehended here.

OFFICERS ON THE WAY.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, April 22.—General MacArthur today informed the War Department that the transport Sheridan sailed April 22 via Nacasaaki with Generals John C. Bates and Fred D. Grant, six officers and 123 men of the Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth Infantry, also the transport Kentucky arrived there yesterday.

To Prevent Pneumonia and Grip. Laxative Bromo-Quinine removes the cause.

SABIN SOON TO TAKE HIS OFFICE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. CHICAGO, April 22.—John M. Clark, president of the Chicago Telephone Company, will retire from his position within the next week or in ten days and will be succeeded by John I. Eldin of San Francisco.

CENTERVILLE BOY GOES TO PRISON.

CENTERVILLE, April 22.—David Meason was taken to the County Jail today to serve a sentence of thirty days imposed by Justice Sandhoffer for petty larceny. He was given the option of paying a fine of \$100 or serving the time, and chose the latter.

NATIVE SONS IN SESSION.

Strongly in Favor of Patronizing Home Industries.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SANTA BARBARA, Cal., April 22.—The Grand Parlor of the Native Sons of the Golden West reconvened this morning at 10:30 and a quorum was proven by roll call.

The following telegram was read: "My this, the twenty-fourth annual session of the Grand Parlor of the N. S. G. W., be all that your heart desires and may those who constitute the grand body look back in after years with pride and declare it to be the grandest Grand Parlor in the history of the order. Sincerely and fraternally, "LAURA J. FRANKS, "Grand Secretary N. S. G. W."

A telegram of fraternal greetings from the Red Men, signed by F. D. Brandon, Grand Sachem, was also read.

The following resolutions, signed by D. A. Curtin, Stanford No. 56; C. G. Steiger, Stanford No. 78; G. L. Jones, Quartz No. 56, and H. C. Lichtenberg, Ramona No. 109, was introduced: "Whereas, Elevation to the State of California and to its best interests is among the foremost principles of this order, and

"Whereas, The material welfare of our people and the future greatness of our State depend upon fostering, protecting and upholding the manufacturing and producing interests of the State, and

"Whereas, It is the duty of every citizen of the State to engage, by force of example, and by all other reasonable effort and pride in State manufactures and patronage of home products in preference to those coming from without the State, price and quality being equal; be it

"Resolved, That the Grand Parlor at its twenty-fourth annual session at Santa Barbara most earnestly declares its endorsement of the sentiments expressed in the foregoing preamble and recommends it to its subordinate parlor throughout the State that they give their serious consideration at all times to the best means of encouragement to our home industries and that they lend their intelligent efforts to that end without discrimination as to classes, individuals, firms or corporations."

There is a fight on between San Francisco and Santa Cruz for the next Grand Parlor. This will be made a special order at the afternoon session.

CAPE NOME HORROR

(Continued from page 6) Later the body was identified as that of Alexander Stowe.

Story of Horrors.

"A story that rivals the horrors of the Black Hole of Calcutta was told at the Chamber of Commerce meeting Monday night. A story of sixteen men and a woman huddled together in a matted and mutilated condition from frost bite, in a cabin on Pilgrim river, unable to lie down because of the crush, and with the added horror of starvation facing them.

Harrowing Tale. "This harrowing tale touched the sympathies of everyone present. Generous individuals and companies donated money and food. Appeal to the military was resolved upon and within two hours an emergency supply of food was lying over the trail by moonlight drawn by swift dogs. The next day, however, a number of the victims arrived in town and told their story. Some of them were badly frost bitten and had endured severe hardships.

January 19th. "Two unknown men were found dead near Mary's Igloo."

NOTED EDITOR DEAD.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 22.—Colonel Chitt W. Hazzard, editor and proprietor of the Monongahela Republican and one of the most forceful citizens of Western Pennsylvania, died last night at his home in Monongahela, Pa., of paralysis, aged 62. Colonel Hazzard was a past supreme chancellor of the Royal Arcanum; past commander of the G. A. R., a member of the Loyd Legion, a Knight Templar and thirty-second degree Mason.

Divorce Defaults.

Defaults have been entered in the divorce cases of Clara Lundin against Geo. H. Lundin and E. Jones against Melville Jones.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets.

Died.

CHILD.—In this city, April 18, 1901, Marcus W. Childs, husband of Barbara Childs and father of John E. Herbert G. Childs and Mrs. W. T. Knox and Mrs. Charles N. Lake, a native of Vermont, aged 70 years, 4 months and 15 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral TOMORROW (Wednesday), at 2 o'clock P. M., from parlors of Albert Brown, 438 Thirtieth street, Interment, Los Angeles.

FORD.—In East Oakland, at Twenty-fourth avenue, James, husband of Mary Cowie Ford, father of Mrs. Jennie Sander, Mrs. Mary Lewis, Mrs. Eric Brown, Robert James and William Ford, a native of Scotland, aged 53 years, 16 months and 2 days.

McLANAHAN.—In this city, April 22, 1901, Abraham, husband of Mary McLANAHAN and father of Mrs. R. A. Pritchard and Mrs. G. E. Farley, a native of Missouri, aged 77 years and 4 months.

McLANAHAN.—In this city, April 22, 1901, Abigail, a native of Missouri, aged 77 years, 4 months and 20 days.

IMPORTANT TO CITY JUSTICES.

Judge Ogden has handed down a decision in the appeal case of P. C. Nielsen against L. Deussen, that practically reverses the custom that has been in vogue for years in regard to the jurisdiction of the City Justice's Court. Herebefore City Justice J. W. Stetson and the Justice who preceded him in the office have held that the jurisdiction of the court extended to the boundary line of both Oakland and Brooklyn townships. The effect of Judge Ogden's decision will be to restrict the territorial jurisdiction of the City Justice's Court in civil cases to the confines of the city. The suit was over a rail value at \$5.

The plaintiff won in the lower court. Attorney Merdahl, Snook & Church filed a brief on the points for plaintiff. Judgment was given for defendant. This keeps the Justice's cases in close limits.

SPECULATORS LOSE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—The German bark Otto (Gildmeister) has been condemned as a constructive total loss under the maritime laws of Germany and will be sold at auction in this city next Monday.

The Gildmeister sailed from Yokohama for Portland, Ore., last year. During the voyage she encountered a hurricane and was disabled. She proceeded toward the American coast and was picked up off Mexico by the steamer Santa Rosalia and towed into San Diego. In the meantime reimbursement amounting to 80 per cent had been placed on the vessel. After minor repairs the vessel was towed to this port and condemnation proceedings were commenced, with the above result. The speculators in reimbursement who placed their money on the vessel will lose \$115,000.

CABINET MEETING THIS MORNING.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, April 22.—Much of the time of the Cabinet today was devoted to discussing the coming visit of the committee appointed by the Havana Constitutional Convention, now on their way to Washington. The committee are to be received cordially and are shown every courtesy. A State dinner in the State dining room at the White House will be given by the President in their honor on Thursday night. It was decided not to delay longer the commencement of the construction of the new Department of Agriculture, for which Congress appropriated \$1,000,000.

BANK IS CLOSED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SALEM, Ore., April 22.—The Bank of Gilbert Brothers here was closed this morning on account of recent litigation instituted by the heirs of the late William Cooper. A notice on the bank door is to the effect that the closing is deemed best in order to protect the depositors.

Emma Johnson of Moscow, Idaho, began suit in the United States Court at Portland, Ore., yesterday to compel the return of the estate of her late father, William Cooper. She charged Gilbe Brothers, bankers, with mismanagement of the Cooper estate.

FORCED TO GIVE UP HER HOME.

Judge Hall has handed down a decision awarding Manuel Perry De Rosa judgment against Estella Santos, with whom he lived for several years under a contract marriage, for the recovery of his home on Alameda. While Rosa was away on a whaling voyage Mrs. Santos homesteaded the property. In a subsequent visit it was held that their marriage was not legal. On this ground Judge Hall declared the homestead invalid.

Examine Nitre Beds.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—A syndicate of local capitalists has just engaged Professor Emory E. Smith of Stanford University to make a thorough examination of the nitre beds in the vicinity of Lodi, Cal. Now, with a view to developing the beds. Tests have already shown the nitre field to be a rich one, but Professor Smith's investigations will be probably unlimited and his decision will be accepted by the syndicate as final.

Death of Multi-Millionaire.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. SAN DIEGO, April 22.—Artemus Lamb, the multi-millionaire of Clinton, Iowa, died this morning at Hotel Coronado of dropsy. While on his way here some three months ago with his family Mr. Lamb was injured in a railroad accident in Wyoming, and his death is attributed to the injuries then received. His remains will be forwarded tomorrow to Clinton for interment.

May Cause a Strike.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 22.—The cash and door manufacturers of this city have agreed to terminate on May 1st the arrangement with the Woodworkers' Union, by which the union label was stamped on all mill work. This action, it is feared, will cause the strike of the carpenters now in progress to spread to all the other building trades.

Tries to Rob a Bank.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WISCONSIN, Maine, April 22.—An attempt was made to rob the First National Bank here early today. The vault and interior of the bank building were badly damaged by a heavy explosion which shook the entire town and the robbers fled, leaving their tools behind. They secured nothing.

Insanity Caused by Paralysis.

H. E. Rupert, aged 60 years, was committed to the Stockton Insane Asylum today by Judge Ogden, on recommendation of Drs. Higgins and Ewer. His insanity was brought about by paralysis strokes. For some time he has been an inmate of the Kings Highway Home.

Mogul Preservative Paint. Is absolutely acid proof, water proof, oil proof and durable. All Wood & Iron.

PRES. HAYS ON WAY HOME.

Talks With the Fruit Growers in the South.

LOS ANGELES, April 22.—President Charles M. Hays of the Southern Pacific, accompanied by General Manager Julius Kruttschnitt, arrived here last evening and today the head of the Southern Pacific listened for the best part of two hours to the alleged good counsels of the corporation in the matter of transportation facilities for the citrus crop of Southern California to the eastern markets.

The charges were replied by the same committee of fruit growers who yesterday discussed matters with President E. P. Ripley of the Santa Fe. President Hays, like President Ripley, declared it to be the desire of the citrus and cotton growers and promoters to see every endeavor to provide sufficient facilities for handling the citrus crops in the future.

COUNCILMEN ARE FOR PROGRESS.

Anxious to Wipe Out Library Trustees are Deficit and Go Seeking More Ahead. Money.

The matter of providing means by which the new Carnegie building might be properly equipped, was taken up in Committee of the Whole by the City Council last night. Councilman Charles A. Bon, presiding.

President Schaffer opened the discussion. He said he had talked with the Mayor regarding the city's finances, and that it was quite apparent the city would find itself against another big deficit at the end of the next fiscal year if the Council proceeds to guarantee large appropriations without first learning the true source of revenue to meet them.

"I am informed it will take \$20,000 to properly equip the new public library," said Mr. Schaffer. "It is a matter, therefore, that best be referred to the people in the bond proposition."

Library Trustees D. F. Pendleton and Murray Laidlaw were present and the prospects of delay nearly caused them to collapse with disappointment.

"It is absolutely a duty this city owes to Mr. Carnegie and the public-spirited ladies to make the necessary appropriation to equip the new building," said Mr. Pendleton, "and not to allow it to stand unoccupied. The honor of the city is at stake."

Councilman Bishop thought a fund had been created for that very purpose, and he considered it very poor management that there was not such a fund.

"If Mr. Pendleton will make out a plan," said Mr. Bishop, "to wipe out the present \$20,000 deficiency, and whereby we can make an appropriation to equip the library, I would like to see it. We can't call money into existence, and we surely cannot make any allowance until after July 1st."

"It is not for us to point out the manner in which this money can be raised," said Trustee Laidlaw. "The Council constitutes the city's finances. You have never been given a lot free as an engine house site. But here we come with a lot and one of the finest buildings in the city. Now, what position are we in if this building is to remain unoccupied? We owe it to Mr. Carnegie and to the ladies to see to it."

Councilman Wallace said that the Councilmen had all pledged this appropriation in the various political platforms and he thought all should stand by it that it is an obligation; that it should be provided for in the next tax levy.

Mr. Fitzgerald felt imbued with the same sentiments. It would require about .075 cents tax on the \$100.

Mr. Schaffer again took the floor. "We are starting in to adopt ordinances to raise revenue in a small way," he said, "and if the people will just let us alone for awhile and not come up to protest against every move, we will be able to accomplish something and probably meet the big deficiency and make the library equipment appropriation as well."

"Take the city of Seattle. They have been heavily taxed, but are now out of debt. Now, these are improvements as necessary to the betterment of the city as the equipment of the library. I hope, as others, to be able to equip it, but I tell you, just travel over the city and look at the crosswalks and you cannot conceal the fact that they are deplorable."

"Only last night a little girl going home from the Lincoln school stumbled over a splintered crosswalk and severely injured her leg. If I had

my way I'd tear them up and leave them open.

"It will be utterly impossible for us to take .075 out of the \$1 tax limit for the library, for if we do it will mean necessarily the crippling of the police, school or some other department. We ought to discuss this matter thoroughly and first see where we can gain a revenue from. There are some good financiers here, and if we only have a little time we can devise some means whereby revenue can be gained. I do not want to vote on a proposition to appropriate money until I know where the money is coming from."

Trustee Laidlaw here remarked that the board might board up the windows and let the new building stand unoccupied "until you gentlemen do something," and Trustee Pendleton said that there is not a library in the State conducted as economically as Oakland's.

Councilman Dornin next took the floor. "There's not a Councilman who believes that the library should not be equipped," he said, "but unless we can create some new source of revenue we will have to meet another deficit next year; that is, if the same amount of money from taxes is available. It will take us a month to formulate our plans of securing the necessary revenue, and when we can see our way clear we will gladly provide for equipping the new library I ask the Library Trustees to possess themselves with a little patience, say for a month."

Trustee Pendleton conceded that the board was willing to wait that long but at the end of that time would desire something definite.

"How many miles of gold macadamized streets are going to run because there is no money to pay for sprinkling them?" asked Mr. Wallace. Street Superintendent Ott replied that fifty miles covered the case.

"Well, now," continued Wallace, "it's owing to an exceedingly low tax rate that we are being financially. I am one of those fellows who BELIEVES IN WIPING OUT THE \$1 LIMIT. People say give us something for our money and we don't care how much you tax us."

The matter here dropped, to be taken up next Saturday afternoon.

The master plumbers' ordinance and the Mayor's message relative to bonds also went over.

The Council will again meet as a Committee of the Whole next Monday night.

RATIONAL READING IN THE SCHOOLS.

A meeting of the first and second grade teachers will be held in the Common School Assembly Hall tomorrow at 3 o'clock p. m. The general subject for discussion will be "The Rational System of Reading Now in Use in the School Department." The second meeting of the teachers of these grades will be held Wednesday, May 1st, at 3 o'clock p. m. in the Common School Assembly Hall. Spelling and number work of these grades will be the general theme for discussion.

At the meeting to be held May 1st, "The Rational System" in reading and the language work will be considered. Mrs. Walker and Miss F. Smith of first grade, and Miss S. Smith of second grade, will present reading. Miss McGucken of the first and Miss Young of the second grades, will present language.

At the meeting of the seventh and eighth grade teachers on the afternoon of April 25, May 3 and May 23, the subjects of "History" and "Geography" have been selected for consideration. Objectives pointed: 1.—The elimination of unimportant portions of the text and concentration on vital essentials. 2.—A better and more definite distribution of the work of the four terms. 3.—Methods which shall lead to willing investigation by the pupils along lines of real and permanent value.

Teachers are asked to bring text books to the first meeting with outline for 1 and 2 prepared. 3 will be considered after 1 and 2 have been discussed.

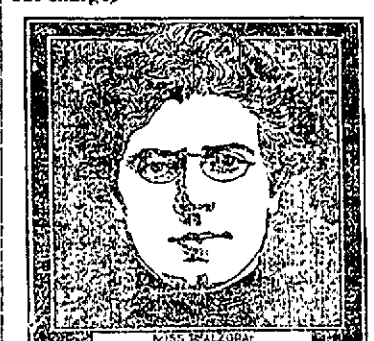
Mr. Duntway delivers his closing lecture in the series of Illinois Studies in the Common School Assembly Hall, on Friday, May 3, at 4 o'clock p. m.

The Duty of Mothers.

What suffering frequently results from a mother's ignorance, or more frequently from a mother's neglect to properly instruct her daughter!

Tradition says "woman must suffer," and young women are so taught. There is a little truth and a great deal of exaggeration in this. If a young woman suffers severely she needs treatment, and her mother should see that she gets it.

Many mothers hesitate to take their daughters to a physician for examination; but no mother need hesitate to write freely about her daughter or herself to Mrs. Pinkham's Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., and secure from a woman the most efficient advice without charge.



Mrs. August Pfalzgraf, of South Beron, Wis., mother of the young lady whose portrait is here published, writes: "In January, 1899, saying her daughter had suffered for two years with irregular menstruation—had headache all the time, and pain in her side, feet swelled, and was generally miserable. She received an answer promptly with advice, and under date of March, 1899, the mother writes again that Lydia B. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured her daughter of all pains and irregularity."

Nothing in the world equals Lydia B. Pinkham's great medicine for regulating woman's peculiar monthly troubles.

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SLAMBERG GIVEN A NEW HEARING.

A motion to set aside a default judgment in the action of Charles T. Slamberg against the Pacific States Savings, Loan and Building Company was granted yesterday by Judge Pillsbury. Slamberg is suing to annul a mortgage of \$1,000 alleged to have been obtained through false representations. The property is situated in Fruitvale. The mortgage was executed in 1892. After having signed several documents, Slamberg learned later that he had bound himself to pay \$2,800 instead of \$1,000, which he supposed he was to repay. The default was set aside on the ground of excusable neglect. Slamberg is an actor and an athlete.

CHARGED BABIES WITH PETTY LARCENY.

Ernest Dryer caused the arrest yesterday afternoon of Arthur Fredericks, and Geo. Ash, aged 7 years, on charges of petty larceny. He accused the fellows with having stolen 5 cents worth of candy from his store at Twenty-third avenue and East Fourth street, while he was absent in a saloon. When Police J. W. Smith saw the small boys, he considered their tender years and discharged them, ordering they be taken to their parents.

CITY COUNCIL IS FOR PROGRESS.

J. S. Wixson Wants Some Storm Sewers Provided For.

The City Council held an executive session preceding its regular meeting last night, relative to the financial deficiency of the city's funds. The School Board was before the Council, renewing its request for a transfer of \$15,000 to the High School fund, but no definite conclusions were reached, and the matter will be taken up again at a meeting to be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

At the regular open meeting of the Council all the members were present, and the following routine business was transacted:

Councilman Wixson introduced the following resolution providing for storm sewers in the annexed territory:

"Resolved, That the City Engineer be and is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and submit to the Council a resolution of intention and the necessary plans and specifications for the construction of storm sewers, together with the necessary catch basins, conduit pipes, etc., in and about the following streets, viz: "In San Pablo avenue from Fifty-seventh street to Francisco creek, in Avenue street from Sixty-first to Twenty-seventh street, and in further."

"Resolved, That said sewers shall be of the size and dimensions indicated upon that certain map filed in the office of the City Clerk February 26, 1899, and for plan of Sewerage Territory Annexed to the City of Oakland, June 1, 1895, R. M. Clement, City Engineer, February 26, 1899."

The resolution, together with the following matters was referred to the STREET COMMITTEE.

Resolution of Henry H. Haswell and others to change the grade of East Twenty-second street from western line of Twenty-third avenue to a point 55 feet westerly of Twenty-third street.

Petition of C. A. Johnson to provide a sewer for district between Nineteenth and Twenty-third streets, and Twenty-third and Twenty-seventh streets.

Petition of G. S. Natsmith for a cement sidewalk on Thirty-sixth street from San Pablo avenue to Market street.

Resolution directing Street Superintendent to give fifteen days' notice to sidewalk Fourth street between Madison and Oak streets.

LIQUOR LICENSES GRANTED.

Permits to obtain liquor licenses were granted to the following: H. H. Kline, No. 1077 Broadway; J. J. Tamm, No. 213 Third street; Max Franz and Joseph Wenner, No. 112 Eleventh street; M. Brown, No. 522 East Twelfth street; J. D. Mann, No. 212 San Pablo avenue; James F. Hanley, No. 126 Seventh street; George Smith, No. 123 Kirkham street; Joseph P. Bohrbach, No. 152 Seventh street; I. H. Kline, No. 517 San Pablo avenue; Wm. Reichold, No. 473 Fourth street; Fossell & Co., 117 Seventh street; S. A. Martin, No. 213 1/2 street; I. W. Ballard and H. E. Burmeister, No. 1907 Broadway; G. Amnell, 243 Grove street.

On motion of Mr. Boyer the application of G. Angell for a liquor license was taken out of committee and on the passage of the rules the permission sought was granted, it being stated that Daniel Crowley had withdrawn his protest.

PROTEST HE HEARD.

The protest of B. E. Paddock et al., against a double assessment on the crossing of East Tenth street and Twenty-seventh avenue was read and Monday, May 6th, at 5:30 P. M., was fixed as the time for hearing.

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS.

An ordinance providing that "no person having possession or control of any real property in the city of Oakland shall cause, permit or allow upon the same any stagnant water or any noxious or offensive substance" was referred to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

A petition from the Petalita Improvement Club for three electric lights—one at junction of Alcatraz avenue and Colly street, one at junction of Raymond and Sixty-sixth streets and one at Sixty-sixth street and Telegraph avenue—was referred to the Street Lighting Committee.

The application of S. Stimps for permission to extend show window at 41

Twelfth street was referred to the Public Improvement Committee.

A resolution from the Board of Education requesting the transfer of \$15,000 to the High School fund was referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee.

THE POLE TAX.

A communication from City Treasurer Taylor to the effect that City Attorney Johnson had advised him that the ordinance imposing a ground license on telephone and telegraph poles was invalid, was referred to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

Of intention for grading, curbing and macadamizing Thirty-sixth street from Telegraph avenue to Grove street.

Granting the Piedmont Paving Company permission to improve Monte Vista avenue and Fairmount avenue from El Dorado to Bay Vista avenue.

Directing the City Clerk to advertise for sealed proposals for lighting the streets and public buildings for the year commencing July 1, 1901, and ending June 30, 1902.

Granting permission to Michael G. O'Brien to remove two trees from in front of 903 Chester street.

Directing the Street Superintendent to give fifteen days' notice to sidewalk the north side of Thirty-third street between Telegraph avenue and Grove street.

Adjourned.

HEALTH BOARD ENTERS PROTEST.

Asks Council Not to Remove Two of Its Officers.

The following communication from the Board of Health relative to the action of the City Council in dispensing with the offices of City Bacteriologist and Chemist until after July 1 was read at last night's meeting of the Council and referred to the Auditing and Finance Committee:

"To the Honorable the City Council of the City of Oakland, Cal.: Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Board of Health held this date I was instructed to forward to your honorable body the following resolutions, to-wit:

"Whereas, A communication has been received from the City Council requesting the Board of Health to discontinue the services of the City Chemist and Bacteriologist during the months of May and June as a matter of economy; and

"Whereas, The members of this board heartily endorse the motive of the City Council and have in the past and still desire to co-operate in the laudable efforts at retrenchment, yet

"Whereas, The work of this department will be largely impeded without the valuable services of these efficient officials; and

"Resolved, That we do hereby respectfully call attention of the City Council to the facts as above stated, and do earnestly request and urge a reconsideration of their resolution requesting the removal of said officers; and be it further

"Resolved, That nothing in these resolutions be construed as an effort to antagonize the City Council, but we feel that in our position as an advisory board in matters pertaining to the subject, and as guardians of the public health, it is both our privilege and duty to remonstrate against acts which we deem inimical thereto.

"Passed by the Board of Health April 16, 1901. Yours very respectfully,

"H. R. SNOW,

"Secretary Board of Health."

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CRELIN—S. Schwelzer, J. Del Valle, C. M. Seligman, H. M. Wolf, San Francisco; J. L. Chaddock and wife, Fresno; F. P. Sturges, New York; W. Taylor, Walnut Creek; J. J. McLaughlin, San Jose; R. P. Fish, Dr. C. F. Wade, Merced.

METROPOLITAN—M. Tillotson, New York; Mr. Edith Warren, New Zealand; Miss Hazel Horton, Buddah, India; Wm. F. Barrett, Chicago; A. T. Eastland, Oakland; A. H. Clarke, Sacramento; Miss Lotta, Mrs. Crabtree, Mont Arlington, N. J.; Mrs. A. W. Hutchins, Chicago; Miss Alice Barrett, Chicago; Horace Eckert, San Francisco; Thos. W. Brooks, San Francisco; P. Thompson and wife; F. May, T. Brown, San Francisco.

TOURIST—J. Dannels, Omaha; A. P. Schwaer and wife, Pleasanton; A. J. Boyer, San Francisco; J. Young, San Francisco; G. R. Church, Petaluma; E. W. Ormsby, Petaluma; L. H. Rivers, San Francisco.

ALHANY—Mrs. H. Wentworth, Miss Laura Wentworth, Lincoln; J. M. Mulvihill, Bert Morgan, San Francisco.

ARLINGTON—Miss Zukerman, city; Thos. Gould, San Jose; Richard Allman, San Francisco; Chas. Schuenecker, San Francisco; Wm. Casey, San Jose; E. Thomas, city; Mrs. E. Ludew and children, M. Dow and wife, Detroit.

GALINDO—Nunan, Oregon; E. V. Stevenson, Paris.

VOLUNTEER OFFICERS SOON TO MARRY.

Lieutenant Robert B. Watson of Seattle and Lieutenant Nellie B. Putnam will be married in Adelphi Hall, 309 Ninth street, at 8 o'clock Monday evening, April 29th. The groom prospective has been acting as an assistant officer, Volunteers of America, at this post for some months. Miss Putnam is a young woman who has been assisting in mission work here for some time. A reception will follow at Volunteer Hall, 403 Ninth street, immediately after the ceremony.

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At the meeting of the seventh and eighth grade teachers on the afternoon of April 25, May 3 and May 23, the subjects of "History" and "Geography" have been selected for consideration. Objectives pointed: 1.—The elimination of unimportant portions of the text and concentration on vital essentials. 2.—A better and more definite distribution of the work of the four terms. 3.—Methods which shall lead to willing investigation by the pupils along lines of real and permanent value.

Teachers are asked to bring text books to the first meeting with outline for 1 and 2 prepared. 3 will be considered after 1 and 2 have been discussed.

Mr. Duntway delivers his closing lecture in the series of Illinois Studies in the Common School Assembly Hall, on Friday, May 3, at 4 o'clock p. m.

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PICKNICS AT SHELLMOUND PARK.

April 29—Scandinavian Society of San Francisco to 11 p. m.

TUESDAY APRIL 23, 1901

HEIRESSSES FOR SALE.

Another international marriage is a failure, if rumors can be trusted, for the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough are living apart. It was to be expected. The Marlborough line has never produced any conspicuous example of a model husband, and even if the young Duke had married a woman of his own nation the chances are that the union would not have been felicitous; but here was a case of a boy and girl whose wedding was the coldest kind of a bargain and sale proposition—the Vanderbilt millions for a ducal coronet.

Youthful marriages are seldom happy in their results. To a young man educated as the Duke has been, a miss barely out of the broad and butter stage of existence would, in any event, no matter who she might be, prove insipid, and when, besides, she has been bred in an atmosphere so entirely different from that of her husband's, anything like congeniality of tastes could not be looked for. On the one hand the husband was taught from his earliest moments that he occupied by birth an exalted position. In a land where the snob blooms in his greatest luxuriance, as Thackeray has shown, the boy was never permitted to forget that he was "Your Grace," and behind him was always the shadow of the great Duke who founded his line. By breeding he was an aristocrat of aristocrats—a prince of the realm in Great Britain and a severe highness in the German empire. On the other hand he beheld the wife, brought up in America, with from her husband's point of view, no ancestors at all. That her grandfather, great financier though he was, began life as the owner of a rowboat, is something of which she could be proud, as an American, but it is, nevertheless, as an Englishwoman now that she must regard the fact, and in the class with which she was called upon to associate as a Duchess such a beginning to a family could be and would be looked at contemptuously and in no other way. Her own thoughts and ambitions were entirely foreign to those of the Duke. She could not view things from his standpoint any more than he could comprehend the trend of thought in the pretty little American girl whom he wedded. So the expected happened, and now they are living apart.

It is this that makes these international marriages so often fail and failures—the inability of husband and wife to understand each other. But match-making mothers will continue to sacrifice their daughters' happiness to fulfill their own ambitions, and the tinsel of rank will probably be sought after at the price of an aching heart so long as our wealthy citizens continue to regard the aristocracy of England as their criterion for all things in life.

THE NATIVE SONS.

California enthusiasm, of the truest type is exemplified in the order of Native Sons of the Golden West, the grand parlor of which is now in session at Santa Barbara.

At its very beginning there were leaders who predicted that it would not last—that there was nothing to it. It has lived, however, and despite such gloomy prognostications, has had a quarter of a century of existence to prove that Californians can band together and remain united. To the assertion that the order would die out its members can answer by pointing to the fact that it now has more parlor in successful operation than ever before. The greatest men born in the State have been initiated into the work and future Governors and Senators belong to it now. Eminent jurists, distinguished physicians, powerful writers—all these attend the meetings and mingle on terms of equality with their brothers of the fraternity.

Nor is one of them without a purpose. The motive for its existence is one of the highest and its ritual teaches the purest patriotism. It was founded to commemorate the glories of this State's history and will live up to the task set for it. The mighty deeds of the pioneers, who erected an empire where previously there had been a barren waste, will never be forgotten so long as the Native Sons of the Golden West shall exist. All that is good in public life finds earnest supporters among the members of this local order, and, while politics is tabooed strictly in the fraternity itself, yet the natives as individuals occupy high positions in both the great parties, where their influence is always for the best.

The Native Sons of the Golden West is a great order. The members are proud of their State and California should be equally proud of them.

COUNCILMAN BON FOR PROGRESS.

Councilman Bon's resolution inviting competing railroads, manufacturers, etc., into Oakland is both timely and wise. It breathes a note of progress and conveys an official assurance that Oakland extends a hospitable welcome to capital and enterprise. It is worthy of note that it was unanimously adopted with every appearance of hearty enthusiasm. This is a cheerful omen for the future and holds out a rosy hope that the people of this city will cordially co-operate for mutual benefit and the general welfare. It indicates the right spirit, and one that has been the mainspring of development and growth in every progressive community in the land. Mr. Bon's resolution is the expression of a broad-minded, liberal policy that cannot fail to produce beneficial results. It voices harmony, co-operation, enlightenment and progress, and is vivifying because it is in line with life and bids hope and courage look up and strike hands with faith and good fellowship for the common weal. The entire community will say a hearty amen to Mr. Bon's resolution.

THIS MAN GETS A SALARY OF ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND A YEAR.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.
NEW YORK, April 23.—The Journal and Advertiser says: Frederick P. Fish will take office as president of the American Bell Telephone Company and of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company on July 1st next year. His salary will be \$100,000 a year.
He is 47 years of age and a graduate of Harvard University Law School. He is a senior member of Fish, Richardson, Herick and Neaves, a Boston law firm and one of the most prominent patent lawyers in this country.

WIT AND WISDOM.

If a man made no mistakes he would have little else to reckon the flight of time by.

In the race of life the man who sits down and waits to be appreciated is always left at the post.

At a recent marriage ceremony the bride bound herself to love, honor and O. K. her husband in everything.

Two men fired six shots at each other while struggling on ground, and the fact cannot be concealed that one of them will get well. But how the good old days in Kentucky have changed.

At a banquet you can always tell the man that prefers to smoke a five cent cigar "for his throat's sake" by the way he "hogs" the big, black, costly perfectos.

"Why do the Irish honor St. Patrick so highly?" "Great Scot, man, what's the matter with that? Any man who can be a saint during the month of March deserves to be honored."

No. 4114 at Jefferson City says: "This prison society is the funniest I ever was in. In any other society I ever belonged to they kicked a fellow out if he refused to obey the rules and regulations. In here, on the contrary, the officer you break the rules the longer they keep you."

THE TREE IN THE CITY.

Amid the fret and fever of the street,
Calm, peaceful and serene his giant stands;
Amid the strife, the worry of the town,
His mighty heart remains in deep repose;
Among the seething multitudes of men,
His restlessness cannot disturb his rest.
I watch the emerald ocean of his leaves,
And every heaving billow speaks of joy—
The joy of living, joy of strength and health
Of peace of mind, of duty well performed.
For he hath kept the law of God and man,
Done well his part, nor sought to shun his lot.
So, hearty, hale and wholesome, he appears
In green old age a tower of hardihood.
Like some old man whose youth was free from blame,
Whose temperate manhood brought him no reproach,
He reaps the rich reward of goodly years,
Freet and strong in gray magnificence.

I touch him, and I tread old scenes again,
A barefoot boy, upon my father's farm;
I hear the warble of a wheatearling quail,
I gather sprays of dewey, wilding flowers,
I breathe the soft odors of the appleblossoms,
And hear the cowbells tinkling in the lane.
A schoolboy in the old schoolhouse again,
I hear the children drowsing at their books,
I see my little sweetheart's soft brown eyes.

O, patriarch of the multitudinous leaves,
Content and calm, amid this rush and roar,
Still uncontaminated in this strife,
Free from repining for the fields and woods—
Teach me the grandeur of thy deep repose,
Teach me the glory of thy goodly soul,
That I may walk with conscience undisturbed
Amid the struggle in the marts of men!

—Walter Malone in the Alkahist.

ONLY OFFICER WHO IS CHARGED BY HIS COUNTRY WITH DESERTION.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.
NEW YORK, April 23.—A special to the Herald from Washington says:

First Lieutenant Frank E. Edwards of the Twenty-sixth Volunteer Infantry, has the unpleasant distinction of being the only officer charged with deserting his colors since before the war with Spain.

Lieutenant Edwards is said to have deserted at Nagasaki to escape court-martial in San Francisco. He was returning with his regiment to be mustered out of service when charges were received at the department against him and telegraphic instructions were sent to Major-General Shafter directing him to convene a court for the Lieutenant's trial upon arrival.

A dispatch has been received by the Department from General Harte announcing that Lieutenant Edwards had deserted at Nagasaki.

Lieutenant Edwards bore an excellent record during the war with Spain and in the Philippines. He enlisted as a private in Company A, Sixth Massachusetts Infantry, on June 28, 1898.

NOTED ANARCHIST GOES TO BERLIN AND IS JAILED BY POLICE.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 23.—A dispatch to the Herald from Berlin quotes the Post of that city as asserting that Romagnoli, the alleged anarchist, has been arrested.

Commenting on the Berlin dispatch, the Herald says: At police headquarters in this city last night it was said that nothing had been heard of the arrest of the anarchist, Romagnoli, alias Romanisov, alias Mueller. It was added that an anarchist named Romagnoli was known to have been an associate of Patterson anarchists, but no attempt has been made to keep track of his movements more than others of his class, while nothing has been heard of him for a long time. The news of his arrest was received at headquarters with much satisfaction.

The fact that the police of Germany were keeping a close watch on Romagnoli, or Romanisov, or Mueller, whichever his name may be, has been known for some time. The fact was announced last week in a cablegram from Berlin that the police force of Germany, especially at the reports, were eagerly watching for the man.

KING EDWARD GIVES A MANSION TO A SMART AMERICAN WOMAN

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 23.—A dispatch to the World says: It is rumored that King Edward has given White Lodge, Richmond Park, to Mrs. Hartman, a well-known American member of the "Smart" society, who resides at No. 39 Berkeley Square.

The gift, which is for Mrs. Hartman's life, is a most extraordinary and unexpected development. White Lodge has always been the most desirable of all the royal residences outside of those occupied by the monarchs. It was last tenanted by the late Duke and Duchess of Teck, and it is known to have been the dearest wish of the Duchess of Cornwall and York (a daughter of the late Duke of Teck) to get back her old home.

LI HUNG CHANG COMES IN FOR HIS USUAL ROAST FROM EMPEROR.

Associated Press Dispatch to The Tribune.

LONDON, April 23.—A dispatch from Peking says that Li Hung Chang has been censured severely in a special edict because after the French and Chinese had agreed upon boundaries the Germans, who have no concern with this matter, marched west and threatened the Chinese. The edict, it is said, ordered Li Hung Chang to prevent the expedition and says that if he fails the responsibility for the consequences will rest on him.

The Emperor, in the edict, says that Viceroy Liu Kun Yi and Chang Chih Tung were appointed joint negotiators with Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching, but that Li Hung Chang spurns their opinions. Hereafter, it is added, Li Hung Chang must consult with them on all important matters.

SOCIETY NOTES OF THE DAY.

Many People Taking Trips to the Country.

Captain Fuller was recently in Berkeley.

Mrs. Vanderlip of San Rafael has been visiting in this city.

W. J. Young was recently in Petaluma.

J. W. Spearington was recently in Salt Lake.

Frank Howard was recently in Napa.

Mrs. E. Katter and children have returned to Napa, after a visit in this city.

Mrs. W. N. Jenkins has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles E. Trower of Napa.

Mrs. Harper has been visiting at Petaluma.

Mrs. Edward Jewell and daughter were recently visiting at Petaluma.

Scott Snowden recently visited friends at Modesto.

W. W. Garthwaite and John Yule were recently in Colusa.

J. W. McClymonds was recently in Santa Rosa.

Mrs. O. J. Willis has returned from a visit to Santa Rosa.

G. E. Faw was recently visiting in Salinas.

Misses Daisy and Mabel Norton have been visiting Miss Beatrice Harlan of Visalia.

Miss Katherine Siles has returned to her home at Santa Rosa.

El Royal was recently visiting relatives at Santa Rosa.

A. H. Glasscock was recently in Visalia.

Miss P. S. Colby has been visiting Mrs. George C. Constock of Williams.

J. L. Davis was recently in Williams, visiting friends at Williams.

Frank Trower was recently visiting relatives at Napa.

F. Daggett has been visiting friends at West Butte.

E. L. Andrews was recently in Redding.

Mrs. Margaret A. Wells has been spending the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Price of Maxwell.

Miss Edith Lang has been visiting Miss Rhythe Lively of Potter Valley.

Frank L. Coombs of Berkeley has gone to Napa to reside.

Mrs. Remi Chabot and the Misses Chabot have returned to St. Helena.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Magee were recently visiting friends at St. Helena.

Mrs. C. L. Finn was recently visiting at Hollister.

Mrs. S. A. Richardson of this city was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allender of Rio Vista, the first part of last week.

Victor Berghelm has gone down to his ranch near Callista for a few days.

J. R. Marshall and family have moved from Oakland to Callista.

Mrs. William Berry of Walnut Creek visited her daughter, Mrs. Mason in Oakland last Wednesday.

John A. Beckwith is in Sacramento at present.

A. A. Saver will remove with his family from Oakland to Concord, Contra Costa county, shortly.

J. C. Eaton and wife of East Oakland are guests at the Hollenbeck, Los Angeles.

J. Ghilardi, the chocolate manufacturer, who resides in Oakland, is in Los Angeles with his wife and children.

John Mortens of Oakland has been visiting his uncle, W. H. Gedge of Vallejo.

I. A. Hodges and his daughters, Mrs. L. R. Palmer and Mrs. S. D. Gibbs of Fresno, were in Selma last week. Hodges is a pioneer resident of Selma, though he is residing in Oakland. At one time he owned considerable property in the former city.

R. O. Gray and four other Oakland men, interested in the Great Northern Oil Company, went to Stony Creek last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Benham will spend the summer in the East. Their address will be Bath, New York.

Dr. Lu Ella Cool and her daughter have given up their rooms at the Hotel Grellin and have taken a house at 1035 Filbert street.

The marriage took place in Oakland

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Miss Emma Lee, of Willford, Sharp Co., Ark., writes: "I was suffering severely and tried several doctors' remedies, but received only very little relief; therefore, I feel it my duty to write and other sufferers know what your 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery' have done for me. I took eight bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery' and the first bottle I took I had disease of internal organs with broucheitis and catarrh. I also used the local treatment you suggested."

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last week, of Frank Galmarrino of this city and Miss Jennie Casazza of Suisun.

F. M. Hathaway was in Suisun on Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mrs. William Gammario of Oakland and her daughters, Miss Mamie and Minnie Casazza spent last week on their ranch near Suisun.

Rev. B. F. Moody of this city preached in Suisun last Sunday and will preach there next week also.

Miss Grace Irish after a few weeks' visit to relatives in Suisun returned to Oakland on Wednesday.

Miss Jennie Nicholls is on a visit to Dutch Flat.

Mrs. K. Johnson of Oakland was visiting friends in Rio Vista, Solano county, last week.

Mrs. Will Ingram has gone to see her mother, Mrs. E. M. of Lincoln, who has been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Newcomb and Miss Anderson of Oakland, have gone to spend the week-end at the home of Mr. Newcomb of Fruitvale, Placer county.

The Hill Club was entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. E. C. Hagan at her home on Prospect Heights. The rooms were prettily decorated with roses and a most excellent light and musical program was enjoyed. Miss Spencer, the club's president, read the chapter entitled "Little Journeys to Homes of Great Musicians." Miss Hagar rendered several piano selections, her numbers being the Intermezzo, a waltz and prelude by Edward Schmitt and an impromptu by Chopin. Four songs by Mrs. John Balfour of Chicago were "A Red, Red Rose," by Hastings; "At Parting," and two of Mrs. Hagan's own compositions, a boat song and a song of love. A most enjoyable afternoon was passed, and before parting the club members agreed to meet next week at the home of Mrs. W. H. Haggitt. The officers of the Hill Club, which is composed of thirty or forty members, are: Mrs. D. A. Spencer, president, and Mrs. S. P. Cutting, vice-president.

Mrs. J. K. McLean was the hostess at a pretty little informal dinner this evening at her home on Hawthorne street in honor of Miss Grace Dummer and her sister, who are on a visit here from the East.

Another informal affair was the "at home" of Mrs. Felton Taylor. Roses were artistically arranged about the handsome apartments. Mrs. Felton Taylor was assisted in receiving by her sister, Mrs. E. S. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Bliss entertained the Knights Templar Social Club Friday evening at their home on Telegraph avenue. Over fifty guests were present. Mrs. Bliss was assisted in her duties of hostess by Mrs. H. D. Rowe and Miss Grace Burrell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Augustus Bray entertained at "Heart's Content," their picturesque suburban home at Piedmont, Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. William Hubbard, formerly Miss Katherine Peck.

The affair was very informal, the invitation having been sent by telephone. Mrs. Bray was assisted in receiving by Mrs. William Hubbard, Mrs. Hopkins, Mrs. Charles Lyman of San Francisco, Mrs. Oscar Long, Mrs. Tom May, Mrs. Samuel Hubbard, Mrs. Alfred Cohen, Mrs. J. C. Coon, Miss English and Mrs. H. H. Smith.

Miss Chesbrough of Vernon Heights will return shortly from a six months' visit in the East. She will be accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Chase of Baltimore.

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CONSTANTINOPLE, April 23.—The latest reports show that from 80 to 100 men were drowned or killed at the time of the wreck of the Turkish transport A. T. near Yembo, the first news of which was telegraphed from Jiddah, Arabia, April 21. According to the narrative of a survivor, there was savage fighting between the sailors and soldiers for possession of the few boats belonging to the transport. The captain and a portion of the crew, the survivors, saved the boats and abandoned the ship, stabbing and murdering with bludgeons the sailors and fighting men bound for Mecca, of whom there were 20 on board, who attempted to enter the boats. A mad panic ensued, many hurling themselves into the water where they were drowned. At the expiration of forty-eight hours from the time the transport went ashore boats from the coast rescued the survivors.

ACCEPTED A BRIBE.

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NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 23.—The committee appointed yesterday to receive the evidence taken by the investigating committees relative to the conduct of Senator Eldridge reported today. The report says there is probable cause to believe that Eldridge accepted a bribe for his vote for assistant clerk of the Senate, and the committee recommends that Eldridge be tried in open session of that body.

PHILBROOK CASE
UNDER ADVISEMENT.

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The Tribune Special Leased Wire.
SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Arguments were concluded today on the motion for a non-suit in the \$100,000 damage case of Attorney Philbrook vs. Judge Van R. Patterson. At the conclusion of the hearing the case went over till tomorrow, when Judge Murawski will render a decision.

TAKES THE RAILROAD.

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LOS ANGELES, April 23.—The San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley Railway, as such, will soon be a thing of the past in name, as it has for two years and more been in fact. The Santa Fe is about ready to send the San Joaquin Valley line, rails, roadbed, right of way and equipment.

BOY ARRESTED FOR
SHAKING THE DICE.

Gilard Havens, aged 17 years, was arrested this afternoon by Officer Keefe at Second and Webster streets, for gambling at dice. Several other boys, who were playing, made their escape. Havens' bail was fixed at \$40.

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BERKELEY MEN
WERE SAVED.

New Trustees Tried To Make Many Charges.

BERKELEY, April 22.—An exciting incident at last evening's meeting of the newly organized Board of Town Trustees was the proposal of three of the trustees to change the tenure of appointive offices. It was Trustee Staats, who suggested that, in the future, appointments for Town Attorney, Engineer and Health Officer be made for two years only.

The members of the board who are friendly to those who now hold these offices, Brewster A. Hagney, Charles Huggins and Dr. H. W. Rowell, respectively voted against the proposition. The vote stood:

Ayes: Trustees Turner, Ryder and Staats.

Noes: Trustees Hickard, Dowd and Hoff and President Marston.

The newly elected Trustees, Ryder, Dowd and Hickard, and Charles E. Thomas took the oath of office.

Captain W. H. Marston was re-elected president of the board.

A saloon license was granted Hermann Christ. The report of President Marston and Trustee Turner to the effect that they had purchased an addition to the High School lot was adopted.

The request of Justice of the Peace Edgar for a new set of codes was referred to the Town Attorney.

The bonds of the newly-elected town officers were accepted.

Assessor Wells was empowered to purchase a book in which to record delinquent tax lists.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES APPOINTED.

The mooted question as to whether the library trustees who were voted for at the last election should be appointed or not was disposed of by their being named as follows:

Prof. L. J. Richardson, S. D. Waterman, Charles Steiner, A. W. Naylor and Charles P. Henry.

Marshal-elect Kerns, who has not yet taken the oath of office, was granted a week's leave of absence.

NOTED FRENCHMAN
AT UNIVERSITY.

BERKELEY, April 22.—M. Gusten Deschamps of Paris, literary critic of "Le Temps" and one of the most distinguished of present-day French men of letters, left Chicago on the Overland Limited today and will arrive in San Francisco at 6 o'clock Friday evening, April 23. Throughout the following week M. Deschamps will lecture at the University of California on "The Contemporary Stage."

These lectures to which the public is invited, will be given in the lecture room of the Students' Observatory at 4 o'clock every afternoon from Monday to Saturday, April 23 to May 4, inclusive. M. Deschamps will speak in French.

The detailed program will be as follows: Monday, April 23, "The Masters of the Contemporary Stage"; Tuesday, April 24, "The Marriage Question"; Wednesday, May 1, "Family Life"; Thursday, May 2, "The Social Question"; Friday, May 3, "The Heredity Drama"; Saturday, May 4, "Conclusion. The Future of the Stage in France."

BERKELEY BOYS GIVE
DANCE FOR THE GIRLS.

BERKELEY, April 22.—The boys of the class of 1901 gave a reception and dance to the girls of their class last night in Hearst Hall. The affair was informal and proved to be a very pleasant occasion. The reception was given on the first floor during the early part of the evening, after which the students retired to the second floor, where they engaged in dancing.

Mr. T. S. Hall acted as floor manager during the evening. The patronesses were: Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Walter E. Magee, Mrs. A. W. Whitney, Mrs. W. B. Montague and Mrs. M. S. Stratton. The music for the evening was furnished by Stevens' Orchestra. The floor committee consisted of H. Greensfelder, T. S. Hall and W. Kennedy. E. A. Hamilton, W. Kenny and P. M. Savage had charge of the arrangements.

PRESIDENT WHEELER
GETS APPOINTMENT.

BERKELEY, April 22.—President Benjamin Wheeler has received an official notification of his appointment by the President as a member of the Board of Visitors for the West Point Military Academy.

His coadjutors are Lieutenant General Schofield, retired; Major General Daniel B. Sickles, retired; St. Clair McKelway, New York; President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard University; William L. Upmum, Wisconsin; St. George R. Fitzhugh, Virginia.

It is the duty of the Board of Visitors to attend the annual examinations at the United States Military Academy, to enquire into the actual state of the discipline, instruction, police, administration, fiscal affairs and other affairs of the institution, and to report upon these matters to the Secretary of War for the information of Congress. The annual examinations will commence on Saturday, June 1st.

A MINISTER'S MISTAKE.

A city minister was recently handed a notice to be read from his pulpit. Accompanying it was a clipping from a newspaper bearing upon the matter. The clergyman started to read the extract, and found it began: "Take Kemp's Balm, the best Cough Cure." This was hardly what he had expected, and after a moment's hesitation he turned it over and found on the other side the matter intended for the reading.

TRUSTEES MEET
AT PLEASANTON.

Fire Department Organized and Chief is Elected.

PLEASANTON, April 22.—The last meeting of the Board of Trustees was called to order at 8 o'clock by President Lewis. All the members being present, a resolution was introduced and passed appointing W. P. Martin, chief of the fire department and Les Wells assistant chief.

Chief Martin reported that two hose companies and a truck and ladder company had been organized and that the companies were now ready for business. He also asked that the board make an inventory of whatever they desired to turn over to the fire department and it was so ordered.

The smallest hose cure had been moved to the building on Main street provided for it and would require a few articles such as lanterns, etc. One hundred feet of hose and two spray nozzles was ordered for the fire department to be purchased from the New York Belling and Supply Company.

Mr. Belsor, contractor on the Water Works, reported that the plant was completed with the exception of painting the buildings and would be ready to turn over to the town by next Thursday. He also asked the board to view the lumber left over at the reservoir and to make him an offer for the same. The Water Committee was ordered to present the ordinance regulating the water rates and the tapping of mains at the next meeting.

An application for the position of engineer for the new water system was received from A. B. Heard which was read and placed on file.

After some discussion it was decided to grade Pleasanton avenue by throwing dirt into the center of the street and later on gravel the same and put in culverts. The Street and Building Committee was instructed to see to the matter.

The Ordinance and Judiciary Committee introduced an ordinance regulating the taxation of dogs and providing for their disposal. It was laid over until the next meeting. The board adjourned to meet Thursday, April 25th, at 8 o'clock.

HOSE COMPANIES.

Saturday night the two hose companies were out drilling on Main street to see which one could run the fastest. It caused quite an excitement for those who were interested.

Mrs. Morgan spent a couple of days in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Walters entertained a few friends at their home on First street Saturday evening, April 20th.

Miss Schoof who is attending the Normal at San Jose is home for a week's visit.

Captain Ellis of San Jose is in town Saturday.

NEWS NOTES.

Mr. Sands spent a couple of days in the bay cities during the week.

Mr. Bennett of Oakland was in town Saturday.

Lee Wells was in Livermore one day this week.

Mr. Goude, the photographer of Livermore, was in town Saturday, shaking hands with friends.

Services were held in the Episcopal Church Sunday morning. Mr. Emery of San Francisco officiated.

Mr. Billz is having some improvements made on his premises this week.

J. Britton and oil expert of Kern county was a visitor in Pleasanton Sunday.

Mrs. Ruzgals and daughter Lotie who have been visiting relatives in town for the past two weeks will return to their home in Stockton Wednesday.

Mrs. Treffry attended the Sunday School Convention at Dublin Sunday.

Sugar beets are coming up in almost all parts of the valley and prospects for a fine crop are now assured.

The Sugar Company's ranch seems to have been delayed in planting their beets and are somewhat behind other districts.

Miss Lina Beckwith entertains the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church today, Tuesday, April 23rd, at 2:30 p. m. Miss Lina extended a cordial invitation to all the members to be present or any one who would like to become a member.

The Alameda Sugar Company received a car load of sugar beet seeds Wednesday to be used in this section.

The infant child of Manuel Simon, aged 15 months, died Tuesday and was buried Wednesday.

The choir of the Presbyterian Church will give a concert at the house of the choir fund at the Nevada Follies on Thursday evening, May 2nd. It will consist of a literary and musical program. The principal features of the evening's entertainment will be a ladies' quartet, two choruses by ladies, voices and solos, duets, and a male quartet. Recitations in costume will also be given by the leading ecclesiastical of the church. The concert at this concert will be twenty-five cents; ten cents extra for reserved seats; children fifteen cents.

WORK ON SAN
LEANDRO'S BRIDGE.

SAN LEANDRO, April 22.—There was a large attendance at the San Leandro race track yesterday. The summer is opening up very well as regards sport.

Miss Elizabeth Marlow of San Francisco was over on a visit to Miss Marianne Sunday.

Miss Elsie Kistler, who has been ill for some time, is reported to be better.

Daniel McCarthy of the San Leandro Reporter was in Oakland yesterday.

THE NEW BRIDGE.

Excavations for the new concrete bridge across San Leandro creek have commenced, and the old bridge, excepting that portion used by the electric cars, is entirely gone. Within a few months a massive stone arch will span the stream, and the old covered viaduct will become but a memory. The appearance of the western end of San Leandro is already much improved.

Big Fire in Dakota.

Associated Press Dispatches by Wire.

WINIFRED, S. D., April 22.—The business portion of this city was nearly wiped out by fire this morning and the loss aggregates \$50,000.

PROGRESS MADE
AT HAYWARDS.

Streets are Being Put in Good Condition.

HAYWARDS, April 22.—Haywards is rapidly improving her streets. The entire length of Castro street has been leveled and filled in with Stone's No. 2 rock, and the horse-car track in D street has been removed and the ruts left in the street filled with the same material. Several rollers have been at work and the deadly chuck-hole is vanishing from the face of the land. The E. R. and A. L. Stone Supply Company is doing the work.

GOES TO NILES.

George Borba, who has been ably assisting George A. Oakes on the Haywards Journal for the last few months, left yesterday for Niles, where he will become a member of the staff of the Niles Herald.

ATTENDED A DANCE.

Some sixteen young people from Haywards attended the dance given by Consuelo A. Ponte No. 41, U. P. R. C., at Alvarado Saturday night. They drove down together and report an exceedingly pleasant time.

WILL BE MARRIED.

Miss Laura Silva and Joseph Dias will be married next Saturday, the 27th, by Rev. Father Lally at All Saints' Church, Haywards.

NEWARK NOTES
OF INTEREST.

NEWARK, April 22.—Mrs. Moore has been for some time past visiting her sister, Mrs. Howard Parvill of Oakland.

Miss Kitty Roach has been in San Francisco for two or three days past.

Miss Maud Bray returned to Newark last week.

Mr. Ripley and family have removed to the cottage lately occupied by Mr. Adams.

J. Sarnae of Mission San Jose, was in town and calling on friends Sunday.

Mr. Sarnae says that there has been nearly every night during the past week at the Mission, and that the grapes have suffered to some extent from the low temperature.

Mr. Adams has taken the Tom Graham house, and removed his family thither.

There was a christening at the home of Mr. George Dutra on Sunday, several relatives and friends being present.

COUNTRY EDITORS
TO HAVE CUTING.

HAYWARDS, April 22.—President George Oakes of the Alameda County Press Association has sent out the following circular to the members of the organization:

"To the Honorable, the City Council of the City of Oakland, Cal.—Gentlemen: At a meeting of the Board of Health held this date was instructed to forward to you Honorable Body."

"After considering with Brother Adam, of the Pleasanton Times, regarding the best time to visit Pleasanton and enjoy a drive through the valley, followed by a banquet at the Rose Hotel, we have decided that Saturday, May 4th, will be agreeable to him and the committee in charge. It is also proposed to have the members remain all night, and a reception and dance given in our honor. Will you at once notify me whether you can go on that date. Every member should lay aside all other engagements on that day and take advantage of the generous hospitality of Pleasanton. We should aim to see all our friends and enjoy the work and work and enjoy life like a Noble."

"Respectfully,"

"GEORGE A. OAKES,
President, Alameda County Press Association."

FATHER IS SUPPORTED
BY HIS CHILDREN.

Secretary Kane of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children yesterday afternoon made application before Judge Ogden to be appointed guardian of the four minor children of Manuel Cassilis. The eldest child is 14 and the youngest 5 years. Their mother is dead. The father admitted that he was not employed and that two of his children worked in the cotton mills. He said his daughter was not old enough to keep house and he was forced to do the housework while his children worked out. He protested against having his children taken away from him. Judge Ogden continued the matter for four weeks to give Cassilis a chance to do better.

Injured in Runaway.

James Andrews of Berkeley was severely cut on the head and badly bruised in a runaway accident yesterday afternoon. He was removed to Fabiola hospital for treatment.

Street Lien Suits.

Elliot B. Davis has let a contract to S. A. Greene for the construction of a two-story frame cottage on Fifth avenue, East Ninth street, at a cost of \$2,100.

LADIES IN THE
LIVERMORE JAIL.

Tore Up Tony Ho-men's Picture and are Arrested.

LIVERMORE, April 22.—Two rather prepossessing young ladies who have been in town for a couple of weeks taking orders for enlarging pictures, came suddenly to arrest yesterday afternoon and were arrested at Pleasanton by Constable Fitzgerald. They had taken a photograph to enlarge, the stipulated price being 50 cents. After a few days they returned the enlarged photograph in a cheap frame and demanded \$150, this being more than stipulated. Tony de-murred to the extra charge and refused to pay, whereupon the young ladies in a fit of anger took the picture from the frame, tore it to pieces and threw it on the floor.

They left for Pleasanton, and Home-m swore out a warrant for their arrest. Constable Fitzgerald left for Pleasanton on the 3 o'clock train yesterday, when he arrested the ladies and brought them back to Livermore, where they will endeavor to square themselves.

LOW EXCLUSION RATE.

The railroad company announces a low excursion rate to San Francisco from May 12 to May 19, on account of the launching of the battleship Ohio at the navy yard at San Francisco. Tickets from Livermore to San Francisco and return will be sold at \$1.50 for the round trip. An immense crowd from this section will take part in the reception.

FARMERS ARE ANXIOUS.

Cold afternoons and nights, frosty mornings but no rain make the farmers look and feel rather blue. The weather forecasters in San Francisco have said "rain tomorrow" for several days, but it fails to materialize.

SUPPLY AGENTS' TRIP.

Superintendent Agler and party on a tour of inspection of railroad property were in Livermore in their special car yesterday afternoon.

CUTTING VOLUNTEER HAY.

Several farmers in this part of the valley are cutting volunteer hay.

OAKLAND HARBOR
NEWS NOTES.

Santa Paula is Again Going Into the Oil Business.

The work on the Bertie Minor and Agata, the two first vessels to be run on the new ways at Deole & Sons will be finished some time today. Both vessels looked badly and had to be hauled in a great many places. Some new copper sheeting was put on the sides of the Agata. The new ways are arranged for rapid work, there being a grage which extends the full length of the ways. Mr. Moore of the Risdon Iron Works says that the ways are the best he has seen west of New York.

The United States Cutter Golden Gate will follow the Bertie Minor and Agata on the ways, which will be some time today or tomorrow morning.

TANNER IN PORT.

The brig Tanner from Port Blakely, Washington, is discharging a cargo of 250,000 feet of lumber at the Puget Sound Lumber Company's wharf. As soon as the cargo is discharged the Tanner will at once return to the north, which will be about Friday.

NOYO IS DISCHARGED.

The steamer Noyo has finished discharging a cargo of 150,000 feet of lumber and 1,500,000 shingles. The lumber was shipped from Eureka. The vessel has returned to that port.

SAILED FOR NORTH.

Yesterday the Del Norte after discharging her cargo of lumber, sailed for the north.

A OIL VESSEL.

Yesterday the old Santa Paula, which has been laying in the creek for a long time was taken in tow by the tug Rescue. She will be towed to Santa Paula, where a cargo of oil will be taken on. The tug Rescue has been lately fitted up with oil burners. The Santa Paula was used in the oil business before, and is all tanked. She has made the trip in the same manner before.

WAITING FOR THE EVA.

At H & W's the schooner Eva will be the next boat on the ways. At present the Eva is discharging a cargo of cobble in San Francisco. She runs between San Francisco and Honolulu and carries sugar. Raining and a few minor repairs is all that will be done.

AGED DOCTOR MOLL
HAS DISAPPEARED.

Dr. Charles F. Moll, a aged retired physician, residing with his wife and daughter at Fifty-first and Diamond streets, has been missing since Saturday and it is believed he is wandering over the Berkeley hills, where W. T. Such, a dairymen of Strawberry Canyon, claims to have seen him yesterday. Dr. Moll is over 75 years old and his relatives are very much alarmed over his disappearance.

SOPHIE MOTHERSOLE
SECURES A DIVORCE.

Sophie M. Mothersole, the actress, has been granted a divorce from Geo. F. Mothersole on the grounds of habitual intemperance and failure to provide. Mothersole was formerly engaged to the Berkeley hills, where W. T. Such, a dairymen of Strawberry Canyon, claims to have seen him yesterday. Dr. Moll is over 75 years old and his relatives are very much alarmed over his disappearance.

BURGLAR CAUGHT
AT FRUITVALE.

Was Robbing the Home of His Employer.

FRUITVALE, April 22.—Mrs. Annie Spiers, who lives on High street, about 300 feet north of East Fourteenth, has been for some time missing small articles about the house. Yesterday she decided that the matter had gone far enough and notified Deputy Sheriff J. M. Quinlan of Fruitvale. Accompanied by Ed Lane, who is roadmaster for J. R. Talcott, Quinlan visited the house and came to the conclusion that the purloining had been done by someone thoroughly familiar with the premises, while a theft had been committed overnight, nothing had been disturbed or disarranged.

Suspicion pointed toward Herman Beaud, who has been in the employ of Mrs. Spiers as a gardener and odd-job man for some time. Deputy Quinlan and Ed Lane made a thorough search for the man, finally finding him in a saloon not far off, where the deputy promptly arrested him.

Beaud drew a knife, some six or eight inches long, on the officer, and seemed inclined to become a very bad man, but a few reminders of the club brought him to his senses, and he submitted to the handcuffs.

In a little room in the tankhouse, where Beaud has been sleeping, were found concealed under his mattress an astonishing variety of articles, ranging from a child's wooden puzzle to carving knives with buck-horn handles. After some persuasion the man conducted Quinlan and Lane across the street to the latter's barn, where the more valuable portion of the plunder was concealed in an old buggy. This consisted of two English sovereigns, one French 5-franc piece, one small gold piece worth about 50 cents, one English shilling, three gold studs, with seal settings, one pair gold earrings set with quartz, one gold stud, likewise ornamented, and one large gold watch. Beaud confessed that the burglary was committed in daylight during the temporary absence of Mrs. Spiers. He gained access to the house through a window on the back porch, and made a clean haul of everything that was worth taking and some few articles that were not. Quinlan hauled the man to the County Jail on a charge of burglary in the second degree.

NEWS NOTES.

George Haas left for Santa Barbara yesterday as a delegate from Brooklyn Parlor to the convention of the N. G. W. V.

Miss Gussie Turner of Fruitvale and Mr. Percy Teeple of San Francisco were married at Elmhurst Sunday. They expect to make their home in San Francisco.

MAKES CLAIM TO
HAYWARDS ESTATE.

HAYWARDS, April 22.—Mrs. Sophie Knudson has filed a petition for letters of administration on the estate of her cousin, Jens Knudson, who was found dead January 10 in a cabin near Hayward. The relationship of the petitioner to the decedent is expressed as follows:

"That your petitioner is the daughter of the brother of the mother of the decedent, and, as your petitioner is advised and believes, is entitled to letters of administration on the estate."

The estate is valued at about \$115. After Broderson's death, Lucy Knudson, daughter of the petitioner, at that time, where they have since resided. One son, Charles, aged 21 years, now engaged in the meat business, was born to the couple on the 25th of next June. Mr. and Mrs. Page were to celebrate their silver wedding and were looking forward with great anticipation of pleasure to the anniversary. The pleasure anticipated, however, has been rudely destroyed by the unexpected demise.

Mrs. Page was generally beloved by acquaintances and her husband has the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

The funeral will take place next Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. Services will be held in the Church of St. Columba, San Pablo avenue, Golden Gate.

HIGH SCHOOL
DEBATE ON FRIDAY.

The joint debate between students of Oakland and Berkeley High Schools will be held next Friday evening in the auditorium of the High School. The subject to be discussed will be, "Resolved, That county local option should be allowed in California." W. Kennedy, president of the Berkeley Debating Society, will provide. The judges will be Judge Wain and W. H. Waste, with a third man yet to be appointed. Between the close of the debate and the decision of the judges, there will be the presentation of a silver cup to Captain Boettiger of the Berkeley Basketball Club as an evidence of the good feeling existing between both schools. The decision will be followed by a banquet and dance in Woodmen's Hall.

RESCUED FROM A GRAVE
IN THE ESTUARY.

Joe Castro, an aged Spaniard who resides in San Pablo, walked off the Webster street bridge at an early hour yesterday morning and fell into the estuary, a distance of twenty feet. Judges will be Judge Wain and W. H. Waste, with a third man yet to be appointed. Between the close of the debate and the decision of the judges, there will be the presentation of a silver cup to Captain Boettiger of the Berkeley Basketball Club as an evidence of the good feeling existing between both schools. The decision will be followed by a banquet and dance in Woodmen's Hall.

ATHLETES HOLD
A BANQUET.

Ex-Champions Have a Re-Union and Talk Old Times.

BERKELEY, April 22.—The eleven California athletes who were members of the California track team that made a victorious Eastern tour in 1895, had a reunion and supper last night. As a team they had defeated Princeton, Pennsylvania, Denver and Illinois, and had won the Pacific Coast and Middle West Intercollegiate championships. In the organization were Fred W. Koch, Arthur H. North, E. L. Dyer, Robert Elerton, T. L. Barnes, J. T. Merwin, H. R. Torrey, J. W. Seagraves, M. Dexer, Chet Woosev and Phil Bradley. Since their athletic days all have graduated and settled down to various pursuits. North has been an Assemblyman and is a lawyer in Woodland. Koch teaches science in the Oakland High School. Torrey teaches biology in the University. Merwin is principal of the Napa High school. Edgren is a well known cartoonist. Barnes, Bailey and Dexer are mining engineers in China. Woolsey is a physician.

ENGAGEMENT OF BERKELEY YOUNG PEOPLE.

BERKELEY, April 22.—The announcement of the engagement of Miss Clara Simeria, a well known young lady of West Berkeley, to Mr. Charles Clayton of San Francisco, comes as a pleasant surprise to their many friends.

Both of the young people are very musical. Miss Simeria has a contralto voice of wide range and rich quality. The prospective bridegroom is a San Francisco clubman, and also a singer of ability.

The marriage will take place sometime in June.

West Berkeley Affair.

BERKELEY, April 22.—A party of West Berkeley young folks, namely, Miss Rosalee Vasey, Miss Joe's James, Miss Anna Newirth, Miss Bleann Keegan, Miss Francis Schuster, Miss Matilda Martin, Miss Jay Butler, and Miss G. Grace O'Leary, are going on a trip to Mt. Tamalpais next month. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Vasey and Mrs. James.

A New Store.

ALAMEDA, April 22.—Minford & Co. will occupy one of the new buildings on Park street about the 1st of May. They will carry a full line of groceries.

SUDDEN DEATH OF
MRS. J. M. PAGE.

Mrs. Julia Page, wife of J. M. Page, the well known warden of the insane department of the Receiving Hospital, died of heart disease at that institution this morning at 6:20 o'clock. The doctors were stricken with a third attack of the disease while on her way, last Sunday evening, to visit her husband at his place of business. When she reached the hospital, the family physician, Dr. Ewer, was called to attend. Mrs. Page was a native of Leavenworth, Kansas, where she was born 42 years ago. Her maiden name was Mary Girce. She was married in the year 1877 and, after their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. Page came to California, where they have since resided. One son, Charles, aged 21 years, now engaged in the meat business, was born to the couple on the 25th of next June. Mr. and Mrs. Page were to celebrate their silver wedding and were looking forward with great anticipation of pleasure to the anniversary. The pleasure anticipated, however, has been rudely destroyed by the unexpected demise.

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WILL TEST THE
POWER ON MAY 6.

On May 6th the Bay Counties Power Company will make a test of its power line from Colgate to Oakland.—Solano Republican.

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SUMMER RATES
FOR THE DOGS.

Alameda Police Make Special Rates for Canine Visitors.

ALAMEDA, April 22.—Sergeant Kamp of the Police Department has received an old letter which reads as follows:

"San Francisco, April 22, 1901.

"Dear Sir—I may have to go to Alameda for about a month, think about May and may bring my dog.

"Please let me know the rates for dog tags or licenses, and if you have a special summer rate for dogs.

"Please answer at once, and send full particulars."

The writer is a woman whose name the Sergeant does not wish published. In reply today he informed the woman that a special summer rate for dogs was now in force, the same being one dollar.

MEETING TODAY AT THE ADELPHIAN CLUB.

ALAMEDA, April 22.—The music section of the Adelpian Club met at 10 o'clock today at the club rooms, when Miss Mabel Howes read a paper on Verdi and the modern Italian school of opera. Selections from Verdi's operas were sung by Miss Burns and Edward Thornton. The triumphal march from "Aida" was rendered by members of the section, assisted by Miss Mitchell.

The elvic section of the Adelpian Club has shown by a report that the gross receipts at the recent card tournament for charity were \$512.00. The expenses were \$95.76, leaving the net receipts \$416.24, which will be applied to a fund to found a free bed in the Alameda Sanatorium.

ASSESSOR DODGE WILL BE ARRESTED.

ALAMEDA, April 22.—Mary Beasley, a domestic, who was formerly in the employ of W. Dodge, City Assessor of San Francisco, has sworn to a complaint charging him with battery. Dodge has not yet been arrested, but the warrant will be served some time today.

Mr. Dodge has been in this city about six weeks. His home is on Lafayette street, near Encinal.

The woman claims Dodge paid her wages then shored her cut of the house.

Died at Albany.

ALAMEDA, April 22.—News has been received here of the death at Albany, N. Y., on the 14th inst. of John H. Crawford, formerly of this city, and a member of Oak Grove Lodge No. 115, free and accepted Masons. He was 38 years of age and death was due to consumption. He leaves a wife, who was with him to the last. The couple resided here for six years and went East two years ago. For a time the deceased was in charge of one of the departments at the Risdon Iron Works.

CHANGE IN THE ALAMEDA FORCE.

ALAMEDA, April 22.—The City Trustees will meet next Monday night. A slight change in the police force is expected. An officer who in two years has made only fourteen arrests, five of which were small boys who had run away from an orphanage, will in all probability be dropped from the force.

Fined Six Dollars.

ALAMEDA, April 22.—Henry I. Hops of Fresno was arrested last evening for being intoxicated. He paid a fine of \$6 and was allowed to go.

Editor's Awful Plight.

F. M. Higgins, editor Searce (Ill.) News, was afflicted for years with Piles that no doctor or remedy helped until he tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve. He writes two bottles wholly cured him. It is the surest cure on earth and the best sale in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cents. Sold by Osgood Bros., Druggists, Cor. Seventh and Broadway.

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